

New Haven, CT, Yale University, Beinecke Rare Book & Manuscript Library, Mellon MS 19

Description: ff. ii + 159 + ii - Nineteenth century. Marbled paper boards with diced calf back, the backstrip in compartments with horizontal gilt fillets, lines of gilt small tools bordering the false bands, title label in the second compartment from the top gilt-lettered "REGNAULT". Early, probably original green edges. Hinges of the binding repaired. - Denis Duveen; Mellon MS 30, acquired with the Duveen collection. Gift of Paul and Mary Mellon, 1965. - Witten, Laurence C. and Pachella, Richard. Alchemy and the Occult: A Catalogue of Books and Manuscripts from the Collection of Paul and Mary Mellon. Volume Three: Manuscripts, Mellon MS 19.

Notes:-Manuscript on paper of the following mystical or speculative alchemies translated into French: Arnold of Villanova, Rosarius; Albertus Magnus, Compositum de compositis; and Ramon Lull, Clavicula. Alchemies in Latin by Raymundus Gaufridi, Roger Bacon (?), Nicholas, Johannes Pauper, John of Rupescissa, and the Duc de Berry (?). Also includes a long series of wholly practical procedures and recipes.

Number of Parts: 1 - *Number of Images Available:* 0

Direct Link: http://ds.lib.berkeley.edu/MellonMS19_47

Language: French; Latin *Country:* England *Century:* 15th

View a detailed description: http://brbl-net.library.yale.edu/pre1600ms/docs/pre1600.mell019.htm

Part 1:

Description: - paper - 143 x 102 (90 x 60) mm.

Country: England

Region: London

Assigned Date: June and July 1480.

Dated by scribe: No

Document: No

Cardinal point:

City:

Searchable Date Range: 1480 - 1480

Inscribed Date:

Number of Scribes:

Script: Written by one scribe in a remarkably small and neat cursive gothic hand.

Notes: No headlines, no color, no decoration, spaces left for some capitals with guide letters, a few drawings in the text or in margins. Binding: Nineteenth century. Marbled paper boards with diced calf back, the backstrip in compartments with horizontal gilt fillets, lines of gilt small tools bordering the false bands, title label in the second compartment from the top gilt-lettered "REGNAULT". Early, probably original green edges. Hinges of the binding repaired.

Number of Texts: 1

Text 1:

Other Associate: Albertus Magnus, Saint 1193?-1280.

Other Associate: Arnaldus de Villanova d. 1311.

Other Associate: Johannes de Rupescissa ca. 1300-ca. 1365.

Other Associate: Llull, Ramon 1232?-1316.

Other Associate: Bacon, Roger 1214?-1294.

Other Associate: Berry, Jean de France duc de 1340-1416.

Title: Alchemical miscellany.

Subjects: Alchemy--Early works to 1800.; Manuscripts, Medieval--Connecticut--New Haven.;

Language(s): French; Latin